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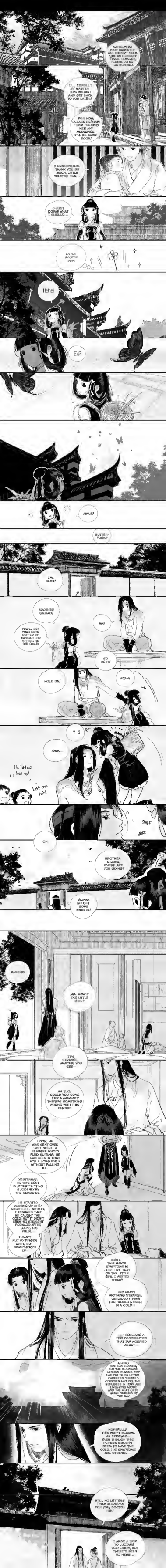
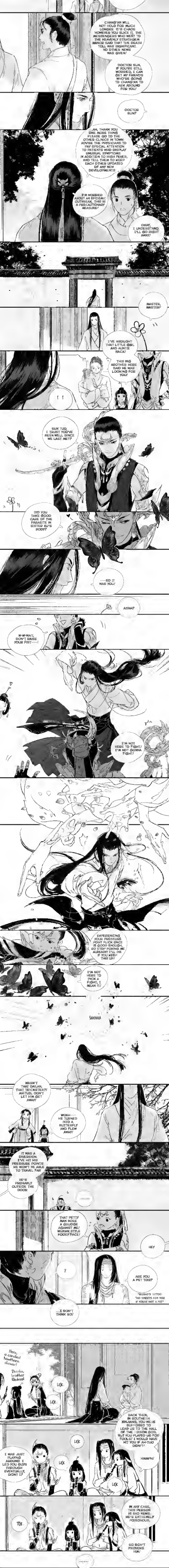

AUNTIE, WHAT YOUR DAUGHTER HAS DOESN'T SEEM LIKE AN ORDINARY FEVER. HOWEVER, PLEASE DO NOT TOO WORRIED.
I'LL CONSULT MY MASTER THIS INSTANT AND GET BACK TO YOU LATER!
FOR NOW, PLEASE REFRAIN FROM FEEDING HER ANY MEDICINES. I'LL BE BACK SOON!
I UNDERSTAND. THANK YOU SO MUCH, LITTLE DOCTOR SUN...
J-JUST DOING WHAT I SHOULD...
LITTLE DOCTOR SUN!
Hehe!
Eh?
AIYAH?
BUTTER-FLIES?
I'M BACK!
BROTHER QIUBAO!
YOU'LL GET YOUR EARS CUFFED BY XIAOXIAO FOR SITTING ON THE TABLE!
MN!
SO BE IT!
HOLD ON!
AIYAH!
? ?
HMM...
He lifted her up!
Lift me too!
SNIFF
SNIFF
OH.
BROTHER QIUBAO, WHERE ARE YOU GOING?
GONNA GO GET SOME SWEETS!
MASTER!
MM. HOW'S THE LITTLE GIRL?
IT'S STRANGE, MASTER, YOU SEE—
AH TUO! COULD YOU COME FOR A MOMENT? THERE'S SOMETHING WRONG WITH THIS PERSON
LOOK, HE WAS SENT OVER LAST NIGHT. A REFUGEE WHO'D FLED SUIYANG, HE HAD BEEN IN TOWN FOR A LONG WHILE WITHOUT FALLING ILL.
YESTERDAY, HE WAS SENT IN AFTER FAINTING SUDDENLY BY THE ROADSIDE
HE STARTED BURNING UP WHEN NIGHT FELL. INITIALLY, I ASSUMED THAT HE CAUGHT THE COLD. BUT IT DIDN'T SEEM SO STRAIGHT FORWARD AFTER TAKING HIS PULSE
I CAN'T PUT MY FINGER ON IT, BUT SOMETHING'S UP...
AIYAH. THIS MAN'S SYMPTOMS IS JUST LIKE THAT OF THE LITTLE GIRL I VISITED TODAY!
THEY DIDN'T ANYTHING STRANGE, OR DID ANYTHING THAT WOULD RESULT IN A COLD
THERE ARE A FEW POSSIBILITIES THAT I'M WORRIED ABOUT...
A LONG TIME HAS PASSED, BUT THE BLOCKADE AROUND SUIYANG CITY HAS YET TO BE LIFTED. CARELESSLY BURIED CORPSES AROUND. THE REFUGEES IN TOWN ARE LINGERING ABOUT AND THE HEAT GETS MORE NOXIOUS BY THE DAY
HOPEFULLY, THIS WON'T BECOME AN EPIDEMIC— EVEN THOUGH THIS PERSON DOESN'T SEEM TO HAVE THE COLD, HIS SYMPTOMS ARE STRANGE...
STILL NO LETTERS FROM CHANG'AN FOR YOU, DOCTOR SUN!
I MADE A TRIP TO LUOYANG YESTERDAY, BUT THERE'S BEEN NO NEWS...


CHANG'AN WILL NOT HOLD FOR MUCH LONGER. IT'S CHAOS HOWEVER YOU SLICE IT. THE MESSENGERS WHO WENT TO THE HEAVENLY STRATAGEM MANOR SAID THAT THE DEATH TOLL WAS SIGNIFICANT. NO OTHER NEWS WAS GIVEN!
DOCTOR SUN, IF YOU'RE STILL WORRIED, I CAN GET MY FRIENDS WHO'RE GOING TO CHANG'AN TO ASK AROUND FOR YOU!
DOCTOR SUN?
...AH, THANK YOU. ONE MORE THING: PLEASE GO TO THE OTHER CLINICS IN TOWN. ADVISE THE PHYSICIANS TO PAY SPECIAL ATTENTION TO PATIENTS WHO DISPLAY UNUSUAL SYMPTOMS IN ADDITION TO HIGH FEVER, AND TELL THEM TO KEEP EACH OTHER UPDATED OF ANY NEW DEVELOPMENTS.
I'M WORRIED ABOUT AN EPIDEMIC OUTBREAK. THIS IS A PRECAUTIONARY MEASURE!
OKAY, I UNDERSTAND. I'LL GO RIGHT AWAY!
MASTER, MASTER!
I'VE BROUGHT THAT LITTLE GIRL AND AUNTIE BACK!
THIS BIG BROTHER HERE SAID HE WAS LOOKING FOR YOU!
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SUN TUO, I TRUST YOU'VE BEEN WELL SINCE WE LAST MET?
DID YOU TAKE GOOD CARE OF THE PARASITE IN SISTER XU'S BODY?
——SO IT WAS YOU!
AIYAH?
W-W-WAIT, DON'T RAISE YOUR FIST——!
I'M NOT HERE TO FIGHT! I'M NOT GONNA FIGHT!
EXPERIENCING YOUR PRESSURE POINT FLICK ONCE IS GOOD ENOUGH, SO STOP POKING ME ALREADY! I'LL DIE IF YOU KEEP THIS UP!
I'M NOT HERE TO PICK A FIGHT, I MEAN IT!
SHHAAA
WASN'T THAT DAILAN, THAT TRICKSTER?! AH-TUO, DON'T LET HIM GET AWAY!
WOAH—— HE TURNED INTO A BUTTERFLY AND FLEW AWAY!
IT WAS A DIVERSION. I'VE HIT HIS PRESSURE POINTS. HE WON'T BE ABLE TO TRAVEL FAR.
HE'S PROBABLY OUTSIDE THE DOOR.
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THAT PETTY MAN BORE A GRUDGE AGAINST ME! WUXIAN STYLE FOOEY FACE!
HEY
?
ARE YOU A PET TOO?
*QIUBAO'S TATTOO: "NO SWEETS FOR YOU IF YOU'RE NOT A PET"
...I DON'T THINK SO!
Here, a candied hawthorn skewer!
Thanks, brother Qiubao!
LICK
LICK
BACK THEN, IN SOUTHERN XINJIANG, YOU WERE SUPPOSED TO LEAD US TO THE HALL OF THE POISON GOD, BUT YOU PLAYED US FOR FOOLS! I WOULD HAVE HIT YOU IF AH-TUO DIDN'T
HMMPH!
LICK
LICK
LICK
I WAS JUST PLAYING AROUND. I LED YOU GUYS THROUGH EVENTUALLY, DIDN'T I?
IN ANY CASE, THIS PERSON IS BAD NEWS. HE'S EXTREMELY POISONOUS,
SO DON'T PROVOKE HIM!
TCH.
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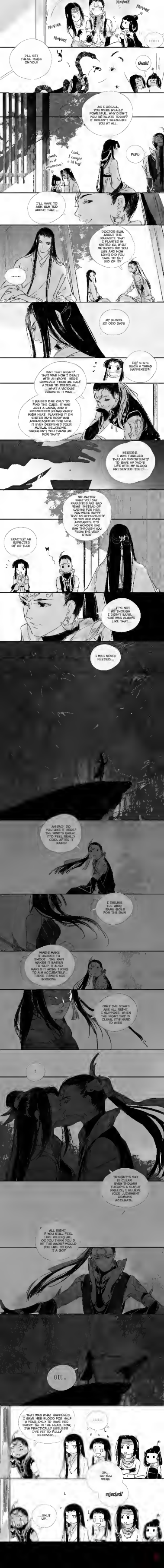
PROVOKE
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I'LL SET THESE BUGS ON YOU!
Uwah!
AS I RECALL, YOU WERE REALLY POWERFUL. WHY DIDN'T YOU RETALIATE TODAY? IT DOESN'T SEEM LIKE YOU AT ALL.
Uwah, is it poisonous?
Look, I caught a lil bug!
FUFU
I'LL HAVE TO ASK SUN TUO ABOUT THAT...
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DOCTOR SUN, ABOUT THE PARASITE THAT I PLANTED IN SISTER XU, WHAT METHODS DID YOU USE AND HOW LONG DID YOU TAKE TO GET RID OF IT?
MY BLOOD. 20 ODD DAYS
EH? S-S-S SUCH A THING HAPPENED?!
ISN'T THAT RIGHT? THAT WAS HOW I DEALT WITH AH YAO'S. HERS HOWEVER TOOK ME HALF A YEAR TO DISSOLVE... WHAT A VICIOUS PARASITE IT WAS...
I RAISED ONE ONLY TO FIND THE CURE. IT WAS JUST A LARVA, AND IT POSSESSED REMARKABLY HIGH HEAT. PLANTING IT ON SISTER XU'S BODY WAS ADVANTAGEOUS FOR HER. IT EVEN DEEPENED YOUR MUTUAL RELATIONS. SHOULDN'T YOU THANK ME FOR THAT?
BESIDES, I WAS THRILLED THAT AN OPPORTUNITY TO SAVE AH YAO'S LIFE WITH MY BLOOD PRESENTED ITSELF...
NO MATTER WHAT YOU SAY PARASITES ARE BAD NEWS. INSTEAD OF CARING FOR HER, YOU WERE HAPPY THAT AN OPPORTUNITY TO WIN HER OVER APPEARED. IT'S NO WONDER SHE SAW THROUGH YOU FROM THE VERY START
EXACTLY! AS EXPECTED OF AH-TUO!
IT'S NOT AS THOUGH I DIDN'T CARE. SHE WAS ALWAYS LIKE THAT...
I WAS NEVER NEEDED...
AH YAO! DO YOU LIKE IT HERE? THE WIND'S GREAT... IT'D FEEL REALLY COOL AFTER IT RAINS!
I DISLIKE THE WIND SAME GOES FOR THE RAIN
WINDS MAKE IT HARDER TO SHOOT... THE RAIN MAKES IT EASIER TO SLIP, IT ALSO MAKES IT MORE TIRING TO AIM ACCURATELY... THESE THINGS ARE IRKSOME
ONLY THE STARS ARE ALL RIGHT, I SUPPOSE. WHEN THE NIGHT SKY IS CLEAR, IT'S HARD TO MISS
!
TONIGHT'S SKY IS CLEAR EVEN THOUGH THERE'S A SLIGHT BREEZE, I BELIEVE YOUR JUDGMENT REMAINS ACCURATE.
ALL RIGHT IF YOU STILL FEEL LIKE KILLING ME, DO YOU THINK YOU'D HIT THE MARK? WOULD YOU LIKE TO GIVE IT A GO?
BIU。
THAT WAS WHAT HAPPENED. I GAVE HER BLOOD FOR HALF A YEAR, ONLY TO HAVE HER SHOOT ME IN THE HEAD. NOW, I'M PRACTICALLY USELESS. I'VE YET TO FULLY RECOVER...
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OH... SO YOU WERE rejected!
...SHUT UP.